

**SOUTH CAROLINA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION  
STANDING HEARING OFFICER DIRECTIVE**

**DOCKET NO. 2017-2-E     Order No. 2018-3-H**

**JANUARY 5, 2018**

**Standing Hearing Officer: David Butler**

**DOCKET DESCRIPTION:**

**Annual Review of Base Rates for Fuel Costs for South Carolina Electric & Gas Company**

**MATTER UNDER CONSIDERATION:**

**Request for Schedule for Responses to SCE&G's Waiver Request on Updating PR-2 Rate**

**STANDING HEARING OFFICER'S ACTION:**

**SCE&G has requested a waiver of the requirement in Commission Order No. 2017-246 in Docket No. 2017-2-E to update its PR-2 Rate twice a year. If the waiver is granted, SCE&G states that the next update to Rate PR-2 would occur as part of SCE&G's Annual Review of Base Rates for Fuel Costs for South Carolina Electric & Gas Company in Docket No. 2018-2-E.**

**In connection with this waiver request, counsel for the South Carolina Solar Business Alliance, LLC and Southern Current, LLC request the establishment of a schedule for responses to the SCE&G Waiver Request by the other parties in the Docket to avoid confusion and the filing of untimely responses. This request is reasonable. Accordingly, intervenors and the Office of Regulatory Staff may file and serve on the other parties a response to SCE&G's request for waiver on or before the close of business on Tuesday, January 16, 2018. SCE&G may file and serve on the other parties a response to any such responses on or before the close of business on Friday, January 19, 2018. This ends the Directive.**